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SOUTH MILWAUKEE GOES PINK

City to show support in the fight against breast cancer

South Milwaukee, WI – Police Chief Ann Wellens is leading her department and city in the fight against breast cancer. City of South Milwaukee staff, along with South Milwaukee School District students and staff, will wear pink on Tuesday, October 18, a citywide day to support breast cancer awareness. Milwaukee County Supervisor Patricia Jursik and District 8 staff will wear pink that day as well.

The "City of South Milwaukee Goes Pink for Breast Cancer Day" is being held in cooperation with Justice for a Cure 2011, a law enforcement partnership with Susan G. Komen for the Cure. The week of October 16-22 has been designated South Milwaukee Justice for a Cure Week.

South Milwaukee High School's Advanced Marketing class has played a key role under the direction of business instructor David Fix. Students Derek Dole, Maddie Fakler, Kayla Kohel, and Jacob Grant coordinated publicity for the week and sold over 1,000 t-shirts to raise over \$4,000 for this worthy cause.

On October 18 at 5:30 p.m., the Common Council will host a representative from Susan G. Komen for the Cure and the Mayor will read the City's proclamation declaring October 18 "Justice for a Cure Day" in South Milwaukee.

"I would like to recognize the leadership of Police Chief Ann Wellens and Mayor Tom Zepecki and express gratitude for residents and businesses who contribute to breast cancer research," said Supervisor Jursik. "I am wearing pink on October 18 in support of families affected by breast cancer and to raise awareness about prevention and early detection."

Those who wish to donate or find information may visit http://ww5.komen.org or call 1-877-GO.KOMEN (877-465-6636). Details about going pink in South Milwaukee are available at http://www.sdsm.k12.wi.us/cms_files/resources/Breast%20Cancer%20Flyer%202011-12.pdf.